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<b>RESPONSE TO COMMUNICATION</b>  Address to: Mail Stop Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450	Attorney Docket No.	WING-003CIP
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	First Named Inventor	INOKO, HIDETOSHI
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	Group Art Unit	1634
	Examiner Name	Kapushoc, Stephen
	Title:	"GENE MAPPING METHOD USING MICROSATELLITE GENETIC POLYMORPHISM MARKERS"

Sir:

This amendment is responsive to the Communication dated September 26, 2006 for which a one-month period for response was given. A Petition for a 3 Month Extension of Time is filed herewith, making this response timely filed on or before January 26, 2006.

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 5 of this paper.

In view of the amendments to the claims and the remarks put forth below, reconsideration and allowance are respectfully requested.